

**STRUCTURE PLAN AND  
REGIONAL PLANNING ISSUES PANEL  
Thursday 13 November 2003 at 10.00 a.m.**

Item No.

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Members of Panel: M Bayes, R Clements (Sub), A Dodd, D Drake, J Metcalf (Sub), M Saunders, R J Smith, I Simpson, W Storey (Chairman), B A York.

**DISTRICT HOUSING FIGURES FOR RPG 14 – HERTFORDSHIRE  
SUBMISSION TO THE REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL**

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**1. Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 As reported at the last Structure Plan and Regional Planning issues Panel, all Planning Authorities in Hertfordshire have been jointly working on the production of District level Housing Figures to 2021, at the request of the East of England Regional Assembly(EERA).
- 1.2 Attached to this covering report are the papers submitted to EERA by the Hertfordshire Authorities, together with a paper on this issue which will be considered by Cabinet on 10 November. The Technical papers found in Appendix 1 include a jointly agreed submission setting out the concerns of the Authorities about the process and the shortcomings of the figures produced, a paper setting out the methodology followed to derive the figures, and a set of tables with the figures. The Cabinet paper sets out a number of particular issues of concern to the County Council .
- 1.3 Members will be updated at the panel meeting on the outcome of discussions at Cabinet. However, the comments of the Panel are requested by the Executive member, regarding the issues raised in the cabinet report and any other issues related to these figures.